

FACTS and OBSERVATIONS

IN WOLFE COUNTY.

The writer left home on Thursday morning for Wolfe Circuit Court.

The new depot at Torrent will soon be completed. Workmen are enlarging the yard between depot and tunnel.

El Park Hotel will be conducted by Clarence Bush and Floyd Day. They take charge on May 15th. Mr. Bush has been at Torrent for about 14 years in charge of the store, and of the hotel except during tourist season. We expect to hear favorable reports concerning this attractive resort. (Further notice later).

We rode horseback to Campton, 10 miles. This is the safest and quickest way for the trip, i. e., a traveler accustomed to horseback will not regret so going. If the reputation of a county or county officials depends upon the condition of the roads we extend our sympathy to his excellency, the County Judge, and others associated with him. Travel by conveyance is dangerous in many places. We do not wish to be considered as complaining or growling when we call attention to the condition of roads—whether dirt roads in the mountains or pikes in Montgomery and Bath counties. We are making friendly suggestions; we are interested in the welfare of the counties and the officials. If the appropriations for pikes, economically and wisely expended, are not sufficient to provide good roads, let there be some readjustment, extra appropriation, additional supervision, or something to remedy the serious defects. In regard to the mud roads in various counties we are convinced that there needs to be more work—systematic, thoughtful work—not pitching a few bushes and a little dirt in a sink that has no drainage, while tons of rock are near by if not actually pitched out of the roadbed. The road from Torrent will, in some places in winter and early spring, be bad however much work (less than piking) be put on it. Much of the road is now in fine condition, smooth and safe; but we do not see any excuse for some of those dangerous places. We have often thought that the teamsters who regularly haul over these roads in several counties could well afford (from the money standpoint) to club together and see that loose rock scattered for miles or lying around these dangerous places

re-hauled and pitched into the holes and broken over the surface, also that occasionally a few minutes are spent in drainage. Protection of self and teams and wagons, more rapid transit (which means less expense) urge this remedy.

We got to Campton. The Combs House was so crowded that we were lodged with Mr. Drushel, cashier of the bank. His wife was visiting in Cincinnati.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Riddell was in the chair and J. K. Roberts was having his last experience as Commonwealth's Attorney, as he is to be succeeded by J. P. Adams, his Republican contestant. The case against Mr. Firestein for killing the little boy Wright was transferred to Estill county. Mat Sloan received a 3-year term in penitentiary for shooting and wounding "Tricky" Tom Tharp. Brewer was acquitted for shooting at two men. Z. T. Young, of Paintsville; Finley Fogg, Henry M. Cox, candidate for Legislature, and Sam Wheeler, Democratic Senatorial nominee, of Morgan, were there. W. S. Tutt, County Clerk, has been confined at home for nearly three weeks with rheumatism.

Lon Hovermale, editor of the Campton Courier, was as handsome and talkative as ever. Perhaps you have heard him say something about the Christian Church having neither politics nor religion. Did not ask him if he was a member.

There are evidences of growth in the town. The sinking of oil wells continues, and two gas wells have come in. We left at 4 p. m. on Friday. At Garrett & Loveland's store at Pine Hill we heard of Judge Parker's instructions to the jury in the Hargis case, and at once supposed that an acquittal would be the verdict, if a jury has to follow instructions instead of evidence. We are not versed in technicalities of law—and some other things—but presume the Judge understands the situation.

The return trip, with varied landscape, the freshness of foliage, star light, refreshing sleep at El Park, the early chorus of sweet voiced birds hymning the Creator's praise, all combined to form a pleasing experience in the life of a country editor who goes on the road. We spent the day in Lexington.

Mr. M. E. Wilson and wife are here and have control of the Star Restaurant. A hearty welcome will be extended them. They have proved themselves thoroughly acquainted with their business and have returned to give their best services to this business.

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Powers' Case.

An effort is being made to transfer the case against Caleb Powers from Scott Circuit Court to the Federal Court at London. A motion by the prosecution to have the order of filing and docketing of case set aside was overruled. Hearing will be continued tomorrow.

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School Census.

The school census for Winchester shows children of school age: white, 972; colored, 717. Last year there were 876 white and 718 colored, an increase of 96 white, and a decrease of 1 colored.

Police Record.

During April there were in Lexington 310 arrests and 255 trials. Of these 255 there were 138 convictions. Sixty-nine prisoners were sent to jail. Chief Reagan paid into City Treasury over \$880 in fines. Policeman Monahan made 103 of the arrests.

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Taken to Asylum.

Six years ago George Lawson, a wealthy man of Garrard county, went to California and invested in a gasoline light plant and lost his money. Later he returned to Kentucky. This loss and the delusion that his relatives were withholding the money received from the plant unbalanced his mind. Recently he became dangerous and was taken to the asylum at Lexington last week.

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